

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An information recording and reproduction  
apparatus comprising a recording and reproduction  
section configured to record and reproduce information  
5 in and from one recording medium of a first group and  
at least one recording medium of a second group, which  
has a smaller recording capacity than the one recording  
medium of the first group, and a registering section  
configured to reserve, in the one recording medium of  
10 the first group, a recording region which corresponds  
to the recording capacity of the at least one recording  
medium of the second group.